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LB 4

PRESIDENT: Record your votes. This is Final Reading all Senators are to be at their desks.

CLERK: Motion to return LB4 to committee.

PRESIDENT: Have you all voted? Alright, record vote. Record.

CLERK: 10 ayes, 21 nays, 11 present and not voting, 7 excused and not voting. Vote appears on page 2203 of the Legislative Journal.

PRESIDENT: While all provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with the question is shall LB4 pass with the Emergency Clause attached? Record your vote. Call the roll.

CLERK: Add with the Emergency Clause attached.

PRESIDENT: It does have the Emergency Clause attached. All senators are to be at their desks.

CLERK: Roll call vote. 29 ayes, 11 nays 2 present and not voting, 7 excused and not voting. Vote appears on page 2204 of the Legislative Journal.

PRESIDENT: It failed to obtain the constitutional majority necessary for the emergency clause. The question now is shall LB 4 pass without the emergency clause. Call the roll.

CLERK: Roll call vote. 30 ayes, 12 nays, 7 excused and not voting. Vote appears on pages 2204 and 2205 of the Journal.

PRESIDENT: The bill passes. Senator Barnett, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR BARNETT: Question of the Chair. The Clerk wanted the emergency clause on this bill. It probably doesn't do him any good now as far as getting that done. Is there any purpose, is there any reason.... I'm on the prevailing side for having it passed. Can I reconsider when....

PRESIDENT: It did not pass with the emergency clause.

SENATOR BARNETT: Right, but it did pass this way. The Clerk needed the emergency clause. He's the one that added it to it, the one that put it on there. Am I out of order to ask for reconsideration say Wednesday?

PRESIDENT: You mean of the bill with the emergency clause?

SENATOR BARNETT: Try to get the emergency clause on it.

PRESIDENT: How did you vote on the previous roll call?

SENATOR BARNETT: For the bill. Before the bill is signed would I have to get somebody that voted against it on the emergency clause? It passed now.

PRESIDENT: You were on the prevailing side because it failed and that prevailed. Now on the emergency. It failed on the emergency clause. Oh, that is right. No, you would have to get someone....

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